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**MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, SR**

**SUBJECT : RIS Penetration of German Controlled  
World War II KAMINSKIY Brigade**

1. The 21 February 1965 issue of the Soviet newspaper Krasnaya Zvezda (Red Star) carried an article concerning the RIS penetration of the KAMINSKIY brigade. According to the article, the penetration agent was known as AGRONOM (AGRONOMIST). He apparently worked for Soviet military intelligence, because the article referred to him as an "army chekist".

2. The article also stated that the brigade had an intelligence unit which was commanded by Captain fnu KRASNOSHCHEKOV. For reasons not stated in the article, the Soviets were particularly bitter against KRASNOSHCHEKOV and kept tabs on him. It is implied that the penetration agent was assigned to watch the brigade's intelligence chief.

3. At the end of the war, the brigade was located in Germany, occupation zone not specified, and KRASNOSHCHEKOV began to pose as Red Army POW Captain fnu KOSTENKO. He claimed that he was among those persons who had assisted the partisans during the war. Despite the masquerade, the article claims that the RIS was able to catch up with him and "...he got what he deserved".

4. A copy of the article is attached.

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